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Senate Resolution 70

By: Senators Hooks of the 14th, Hamrick of the 30th and Harp of the 29th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Auburn University football team; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, as the crowning achievement of a spectacular 13-0 2004 season, the Auburn
- 3 University Tiger football team captured the coveted SEC Championship, the 2005 Sugar
- 4 Bowl Championship, and a Number 2 BSC Ranking; and
- 5 WHEREAS, the level of excellence achieved during the 2004 season required the dedication
- 6 and creativity of the coaching staff, which was led by Head Coach Tommy Tuberville and
- 7 a team of dedicated young men infused with talent and determination; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the 2004 Auburn University football team was composed of 99 members, 23
- 9 of which are Georgia high school graduates and two native Georgia coaches. The Georgia
- 10 players on the Auburn Football Team are as follows: David Irons, Dacula, Georgia, Dacula
- High School; Donnay Young, College Park, Georgia, North Clayton High School; Calvin
- 12 Booker, Atlanta, Georgia, Mays High School; Carlos Rogers, Augusta, Georgia, Butler High
- 13 School; Wesley Hill, Cordele, Georgia, Crisp County High School; Ronnie Brown,
- 14 Cartersville, Georgia, Cartersville High School; Kenny Irons, Dacula, Georgia, Dacula High
- 15 School; Tristan Davis, East Point, Georgia, Tri-Cities High School; Brad Lester, Lilburn,
- 16 Georgia, Parkview High School; Antarrious Williams, Columbus, Georgia, Shaw High
- 17 School; Gerald Williams, Columbus, Georgia, Carver High School; Rory Carter, Columbus,
- 18 Georgia; Robert Shiver, Columbus, Georgia; Todd Hughes, Marietta, Georgia; Troy Reddick,
- 19 Albany, Georgia, Westover High School; Danny Lindsey, Douglas, Georgia, Coffee High
- 20 School; Antwoin Daniels, Forsyth, Georgia, Mary Persons High School; Jarrod Britt, Powder
- 21 Springs, Georgia, McEachern High School; Marcus McNeill, Decatur, Georgia, Cedar Grove
- 22 High School; Jonathan Palmer, Decatur, Georgia, Cedar Grove High School; Octavius
- 23 Balkcom, Blakely, Georgia, Early County High School; James Swinton, Tucker, Georgia,
- 24 Tucker High School; Jay Ratliff, Valdosta, Georgia, Lowndes County High School; Coach
- 25 Hugh Nall, Thomaston, Georgia; and Coach Terry Price, Atlanta, Georgia; and

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1 WHEREAS, every member of the team and staff deserves credit and commendation for a

- 2 thrilling and successful season and, more importantly, for demonstrating the kind of character
- 3 that will serve them well in their future endeavors; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the success of the Auburn University football team has energized and inspired
- 5 an entire nation and lifted the spirit of the school and all of the Auburn family; and
- 6 WHEREAS, it is most fitting that the accomplishments of this team be properly recognized
- 7 and that congratulations be conveyed to the team members.
- 8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 9 congratulate the players and coaches of the Auburn University football team on winning the
- 10 SEC championship and extend to them sincerest wishes for continued success.
- 11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 12 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Head Coach Tommy Tuberville.